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U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form**Application No.: 10/054,709
Examiner: Shelton, BrianFirst Named Applicant: Buehl, et al.
Art Unit: 2611 Status of Application: First O.A. sent

Tentative Participants:

(1) Karl Koster, Attorney of Record (2) Examiner Shelton

(3) (4)

Proposed Date of Interview: Jan. 28, 2004

Proposed Time: At Examiner's convenience;
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Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES NO

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Issues To Be Discussed

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Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Applicant asserts that independent claim have support in the provisional application and will show support from the provisional of the elements contained in the independent claims.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

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